

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI  
CENTRAL DIVISION**

## **REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION CONCERNING PLEA OF GUILTY**

Defendant Richard J. Kitchen, by consent, appeared before the undersigned on August 15, 2013, pursuant to Rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, Local Rule 72(c)(1)(j), and 28 U.S.C. § 636, and has entered a plea of guilty to Counts One and Three of the Superseding Indictment filed on January 16, 2013. After cautioning and examining the defendant, under oath, in accordance with the requirements of Rule 11, it was determined that the guilty plea was made with full knowledge of the charges and the consequences of pleading guilty, was voluntary, and that the offenses to which the defendant has plead guilty are supported by a factual basis for each of the essential elements of the offenses.

IT IS, THEREFORE, RECOMMENDED that the plea of guilty be accepted and that defendant Richard J. Kitchen be adjudged guilty and have sentence imposed accordingly.

Failure to file written objections to this Report and Recommendation within fourteen (14) days from the date of its filing will bar an aggrieved party from attacking such Report and Recommendation before the assigned United States District Judge. 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B).

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2013, at Jefferson City, Missouri.

/s/ Matt J. Whitworth